

HOLY WEEK

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Mass Intentions For The Week



TUESDAY, MARCH 26

No Mass at St. Anthony's
Chrism Mass at Cathedral at 11:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

7:00 p.m. Vietnamese Mass

THURSDAY, MARCH 28 [Holy Thursday]

7:00 p.m. Diana D'Amato
7:00 p.m. VN Mass in Pastoral Center

FRIDAY, MARCH 29 [Good Friday]

7:00 p.m. Intentions of Tim & Heather Hessman
7:00 p.m. VN Mass in Pastoral Center

SATURDAY, MARCH 30 [Holy Saturday]

7:00 p.m. St. Anthony Parish Family
8:00 p.m. VN Mass in Pastoral Center

SUNDAY, MARCH 31 [Easter Sunday]

9:30 a.m. St. Anthony Parish Family
11:00 a.m. VN Mass

Liturgical Roles for Saturday, March 30, at 7:00 p.m.:

Lectors: C. Claycomb & C. Claycomb
E. Minister: R. Hartman
Ushers: J. & K. Cordell, B. Buhrman

Liturgical Roles for Sunday, March 31, at 9:30 a.m.:

Lector: M. Gittrich
E. Minister: S. Walcher

PARISH PRAYER LINE

+Jim Mies Jerry Warrell +John Belton
Ukraine and its Citizens Kathy Hunter
Devin Carpenter Marian Eggbert Grace
Johnny Gabe Domimelli Jim Garcia
Azariah Willis Julie Munoz

Good News!

March 24, 2024

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord (B)
Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16 / Isaiah 50:4-7 /
Philippians 2:6-11 / Mark 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Tenzin Kiyosaki is a former Buddhist nun who now works as an interfaith chaplain at a medical center in Los Angeles. There she tends to the spiritual needs of patients who have less than six months to live. When her brother asked her what it was that dying patients talk about, it led to her book *The Three Regrets: Inspirational Stories and Practical Advice for Love and Forgiveness at Life's End*. The three regrets she lists are: 1) I did not live the life of my dreams; 2) I did not share my love; and 3) I did not forgive. All too easily it seems we become preoccupied with what in the end becomes peripheral to what we really seek in life.

Today we tell the story of how Jesus' life of loving others came to its final conclusion, one of sacrificial love to the point of death. He came to reveal how such love is an essential dimension of the presence of God at the heart of every human life, and a cornerstone of the kingdom of God he proclaimed and to which he gave his life.

To the end, even on the cross, forgiveness was an essential aspect of his life of loving others. The very realities of what Jesus' life was all about are the same hungers we so often fail to recognize as we live our lives, though it is what he continually preached. Coming face to face with our own mortality seems to make his message most real. ●

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March 17, 2024

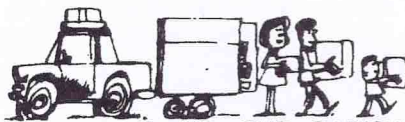
English: \$ 2,618.00
VN: \$ 4,901.00
Total: \$ 7,519.00

MARCH 24, 2024

**“And they clothed him in a purple cloak;
and after twisting some thorns into a crown,
they put it on him.”
----Mark 15:17**

Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday, and the Gospel story of the entrance of Jesus into Jerusalem is read as part of the entrance rite. The Gospel tells us that the people cut branches from the trees and laid them in the road in front of Jesus as part of the procession. Palms are used to celebrate this festive entrance of Jesus into Jerusalem. Palms are from a common tree whose branches are readily available. The palm is blessed and people are given a branch to take home. A year later the palm will be burned to form the ash for Ash Wednesday. In other places, churches use olive branches or Pussy Willows.

Next Sunday is Easter Sunday, and our magnificent choir will be celebrating this awesome occasion with the lovely “Easter Hallelujah” which will begin 10 minutes before the actual Mass. In a brief 10 minutes, the entire story of Easter is proclaimed with music and words. This is more than just a melody with words; it is a moving and inspiring reminder of our redemption by the Son of God. Remember to come 10 minutes early at next Sunday’s 9:30 Mass.



We welcome Letisia Briseno as a new parishioner at historic St. Anthony’s. So happy you are joining us!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, March 24

9:30 a.m. English Mass
11:00 a.m. Vietnamese Mass (Pastoral Center)

Monday, March 25

7-8 pm Vietnamese Mass (Pastoral Cen.)

Tuesday, March 26

Chrim Mass at Cathedral at 11:00 a.m.
7-8 pm Vietnamese Mass (Pastoral Cen.)

Wednesday, March 27

7-8 pm Vietnamese Mass (Pastoral Cen.)

Thursday, March 28

7-8 pm English Mass (Fr. John Sherlock)
7-8 pm Vietnamese Mass (Pastoral Cen.)

Good Friday Service, March 29

7-8 pm English Service in church
(Fr. John Sherlock)
7-8 pm VN Service (Pastoral Center)

Saturday Easter Vigil, March 30

7-9 pm English Mass in church
(Fr. John Sherlock)
8-10 pm VN Mass (Pastoral Center)

Easter Sunday, March 31

9:30 a.m. English Mass (Church)
11:00 a.m. Vietnamese Mass (Pastoral Center)



“Father into your hands I commend my spirit”